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From: Kovner, Karissa [Kovner.Karissa@epa.gov]
Sent: 4/24/2019 3:33:32 AM
To: Beck, Nancy [Beck.Nancy@epa.gov]
CC: Keller, Kaitlin [keller.kaitlin@epa.gov]
Subject: Re: RTP and PFAS

I checked with OITA. RTP visit is covered already. On PFAS, they asked if we had anything off the shelf to include as background, so I gave them the Agency one-pager. They will go to OW if they or he wants more; I said we'd be happy to help and they acknowledged. So I'm calling this a wrap!

On Apr 23, 2019, at 12:38 PM, Kovner, Karissa <Kovner.Karissa@epa.gov> wrote:

I'll check with OITA on what else they expect/need from us and let you know/make adjustments as needed on RTP, PFAS, etc.

From: Beck, Nancy
Sent: Tuesday, April 23, 2019 9:34 AM
To: Kovner, Karissa <Kovner.Karissa@epa.gov>
Cc: Keller, Kaitlin <keller.kaitlin@epa.gov>
Subject: Re: Beck Sunday night review of the full suite of G7 bilat materials and talking points

So there may be lots of other things they want to cover not just 20min on pesticides. They may want followup from the RTP visit and PFAS rollout. Maybe we need to adjust that opening sentence.

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On Apr 23, 2019, at 9:29 AM, Kovner, Karissa <Kovner.Karissa@epa.gov> wrote:

Yes, it was Calleja too. I believe the OITA briefing points cover that as it was an OAR issue.

Will do, of course.

On Apr 23, 2019, at 7:57 AM, Beck, Nancy <Beck.Nancy@epa.gov> wrote:

Thanks. one comment in the attached. This is much improved—thank you!

Also, one of the DGs was here last month and went to RTP. Do we know what DG that was??

Please cc kaitlin, charlotte and I on what you send to Alex.

Thanks.

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From: Kovner, Karissa
Sent: Monday, April 22, 2019 11:14 PM
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Cc: Keller, Kaitlin <keller.kaitlin@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Beck Sunday night review of the full suite of G7 bilat materials and talking points

Hi,

Here is a more or less clean version for you that incorporates Jeff's few edits, the SAICM addition, and OPP's answers with some edits that I made to what OPP sent back to me today – note that I have sent back to them for clearance my further suggestions for clarity and better presentation that are already included in your version here; I have asked for OPP's final reactions to those further edits by noon tomorrow. Once I get their clearance, I'll finalize the document and send to Alex as her FYI.

I left in the few comments where I thought you might want to be reminded of your question. The rest seemed like you'd remember.

If you have any more edits or you think something else is needed, please let me know. Otherwise, as soon as OPP clears, I'll send it to OITA and everyone else as final.

Thanks,
Karissa

From: Beck, Nancy
Sent: Sunday, April 21, 2019 8:43 PM
To: Kovner, Karissa <Kovner.Karissa@epa.gov>
Cc: Keller, Kaitlin <keller.kaitlin@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Beck Sunday night review of the full suite of G7 bilat materials and talking points

Karissa,
I hope you had a good holiday! Many thanks for this.
I think your plan sounds good—need review from Jeff and Rick and then to Alex. However, I'm worried some of this language is too vague and not clear and particularly on the OPP side needs more clarity.
Please see attached comments that will need some work in the morning.

Many thanks for your work on this and the very quick turnaround!!
Nancy

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From: Kovner, Karissa
Sent: Sunday, April 21, 2019 4:30 PM
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Subject: Beck Sunday night review of the full suite of G7 bilat materials and talking points

Nancy,

Here are the points for Wheeler for his bilaterals on the margins of the G7. There are three pieces here, each labelled appropriately:

- Points for his bilateral with DC Environment (Calleja), where he will have 20 mins to discuss chemicals – a very short time to cover the points Calleja wants to raise plus pesticides and TSCA. Please remember that Calleja is not the pesticides guy, so he should raise the MRL issue, but not aggressively or in too much detail so those points are not too specific or large in quantity. The TSCA points are from the presentation you gave me (Laura helped with that). We tried to sell it as the start (or maybe the end??) of the TSCA comparison idea, see what you think. We also included background on the Rolling Work Plan, as OITA thinks it might come up.
- Points for his bilateral with DC Sante (Sucher) where he will have more time, but I don't know how much. I more or less took what Rick/the US-EU Mission sent and just massaged it into the format.
- Points for his bilateral with the German Environment Minister (the rest of the topics will be covered by other offices). These points reflect what we agreed to move forward with Alex in our meeting last Thursday.

On process, my preference on how to avoid the chaos of Monday morning and who is on first (and to keep me out of your office) is to do the following, which I hope works for you.

- Please read these and edit as you see fit – we are guessing at your vision on some of this. When you are done marking it up, send it back to me tonight. I'll clean it up, if needed.
- Once your comments are in, I need to send it quickly to Rick and Jeff in case I made any mistakes on the details, copying you, Kaitlin, Laura, etc.

- I will the final version FYI to Alex with a copy to you, per her request to stay in the loop but not review. I'll copy you and the three office directors.
- I'll get it to OITA as soon as humanely possible, giving Rick and Jeff a chance to get back to me on any details.

Hope that's ok, just trying to stay organized and know who has the master version along the way – and make sure everyone who needs to see it, sees it. OITA is being nice about timing but I need to make sure we deliver on Monday before the big briefing book needs to go to Jane and Chad.

Thanks,
Karissa

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